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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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| Address to:<br><b>Box PATENT APPLICATION</b><br>Commissioner of Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | Attorney Docket No.                     | HUAN3263/EM |
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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

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| Entitled: | Gearbox For Gardening Machine |
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- ☒ 1. Submitted herewith are the following:  
 10 pages of specification, including claims and Abstract.  
 6 sheets of FORMAL drawings (Figs. 1-7).  
 9 claims.  
 1 Oath/Declaration signed by each inventor.  
 1 Application Data Sheet.  
 1 certified copy of Taiwan application no. 092212517. Priority is claimed.  
 1 check in the amount of \$385 (Filing Fee).
- ☒ 2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.
- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
- ☐ 4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application claims the benefit of provisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. --
- ☐ 5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. --
- ☐ 6. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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| THE FILING FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:  |                    |        |                           | Basic Fee:                               | \$770.00 |
| Total Claims:   | 9                  | - 20 = | 0                         | X \$18 =                                 | \$0.00   |
| Independent Claims:   | 2                  | - 3 =  | 0                         | X \$86 =                                 | \$0.00   |
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|   |                    |        |                           | Subtotal:                                | \$770.00 |
|   |                    |        |                           | 50% Reduction if Small Entity Status:    | \$385.00 |
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